### GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department – Exemption of fee to the Gram Panchayats in Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District in favour of Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited Kisan Special Economic Zone (IFFCO KISAN SEZ) for setting up multi product Special Economic Zone for Fertilizer Plant – Orders – Issued.

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## PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (PTS.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.377 Dated: 09-11-2010.
Read the following: -

1.D.O.Lr.from the Prl. Secretary, Industries & Commerce Department Lr.No.46/INF/A2/2010, dated 5-1-2010.

- 2.Govt.Memo.No.1316/Pts.IV/A2/2010-1, dated 27-1-2010.
- 3.From the CPR& RE, Hyderabad, Lr.No.3544/CPR&RE/D3/2010, dated 22-03-2010.

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#### **ORDER:**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Industries and Commerce Department have sent the letter of the Chief Executive Officer, Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited Kisan Special Economic Zone (IFFCO KISAN SEZ) requesting to grant exemption of fee that is being levied by the Gram Panchayats in Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District under the provision of G.O.Ms.No.67, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (Pts.IV) Department, dated 26-2-2002 for construction of compound wall enveloping 2776.23 acres.

- 2. The Industries and Commerce Department has further informed that the Government of Andhra Pradesh have recommended the proposal of Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited for setting up of a multi product Special Economic Zone in the lands acquired by them spreading over seven Mandals in Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District, to the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India to accord approval. The Government of India on 5-5-2008, have accorded formal approval to the Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited to set up the multi product Special Economic Zone in an extent of 1023 hectares in Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District, subject to certain conditions. Among others, the Government of India has stipulated a condition that the developer has to get approval from various statutory authorities under relevant statues and regulations of the Government of India and the State Government and local bodies.
- 3. Government of Andhra Pradesh in the Andhra Pradesh Special Economic Zone Bill, 2005 under Fiscal Benefits to the Special Economic Zone developers, have also provided exemption from payment of all taxes, cess, duties, fees or any other levies under any State Law to the extent specified therein. He further informed that the Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited Kisan Special Economic Zone is the first of its kind being established by the farmers in the country for the betterment of the farmers.
- 4. The Industries and Commerce Department finally requested to consider the request of Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited Kisan Special Economic Zone proposal and to issue necessary orders exempting them from payment of fee to the Gram Panchayats.

- 5. In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad has been requested to examine the proposal and furnish a report to the Government. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad while recommending the proposal has conclusively reported that since Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited Kisan Special Economic Zone is first of its kind being established by the farmers in the country under the Co-operative fold and therefore requested the Government to accord necessary exemptions from payment of taxes, cess, fees, duties etc., in favour of Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited Kisan Special Economic Zone, so as to enable their office to effect necessary exemptions as contemplated under Andhra Pradesh Special Economic Zone Bill, 2005.
- 6. Government after careful examination of the proposal, hereby accord permission for exemption from payment of taxes, cess, duties, fees, etc., is being levied by the certain Gram Panchayats in Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District from the provisions of G.O.Ms.No.67, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (Pts.IV) Department, dated 26-02-2002 to Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited Kisan Special Economic Zone (IFFCO KISAN SEZ) for setting up of multi product Special Economic Zone in Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District.
- 7. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad is therefore requested to take necessary action accordingly.

#### (BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNER OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

# M.V.P.C. SASTRY SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad The Chief Executive Officer, Indian Farmers Fertilizer Cooperative Limited Kisan Special Economic Zone (IFFCO KISAN SEZ Ltd), 10-5-22, Masab Tank, Hyderabad.

#### Copy to:

The District Collector (PW), Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District.

The District Panchayat Officer, Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District.

The Industries and Commerce Department, A.P. Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Industries, Andhra Pradesh, Chiragalli Lane, Hyderabad.

The Law (A) Department.

The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Chief Minister / OSD to Minister (PR)

The P.S. to Spl. Chief Secretary (PR)

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

**SECTION OFFICER**